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COMMENTS/INSTRUCTIONS:

**Re: U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/596,629**

Attached is a copy of the Amendment responsive to Examiner's office action mailed April 6, 2006 for application Serial No. 09/596,629.

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In re Application of: **CHAPMAN ET AL.**

Serial No.: **09/596,629**

Confirmation No.: **4379**

Filed: **June 19, 2000**

For: **METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR DISTRIBUTING AN INVENTION  
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.


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